

September 2016

National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior
New Orleans Jazz
National Historic Park



Visitor's Center
400 Esplanade Ave.
New Orleans, LA 70116
Tues.-Sat. 10:00am-4:30pm

www.nps.gov/Jazz for updates on the renovation progress and our grand Re-opening of our 916 N. Peters location
Walking tours on the **Origins of Jazz** are conducted on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays at 11:00. (Sign up inside the Old U.S Mint—400 Esplanade Ave (504) 589-2265).

Find updated New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park schedules at: www.nps.gov/jazz/planyourvisit/events.htm.

September 1 *Thursday*

4:00-4:45 pm

Old. U.S Mint

Park Ranger **Chandra Teddleton** leads JAZZ BOUNCE AEROBICS set to the Jazz iterations of local Brass Bands and Jazz artists with some funky beats! The aerobics class will educate with some serious sweat equity! Come and join the fun of our healthy parks initiative.

September 2 *Friday*

11:00 - 11:45 am

Old. U.S. Mint

Join one of our celebrity guest artists from our "Songs for Junior Rangers" CD, award winning children's musician and author **Johnette Downing**. Johnette will perform a concert and sing along especially suited for kids from Pre-school to 3rd grade.

September 3 *Saturday*

10:00-11:00 am

916 N. Peters St

Bring comfortable clothing and your own yoga mat to our French Market location for **Jazz Yoga**. This free yoga class will feature instructor **Susan Landry** and meditational jazz piano by **Peter Nu**.

2:00-3:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

What Does Freedom Mean to Me? Music & Spoken Word Experience: The program is the second portion of a two part series that began July 4th, and asks artists to reflect on what freedom means to them and what it will be in the future. The poetry slam winners and acclaimed poets are creating a safe space of spoken word. Jazz musicians will accompany the poets on a voyage that includes a melodious concert. **Featured poets:** *Akeem Martin, Honey Sanaa, Shacondria "Icon" Sibley, Ehren "Katalyst" Alcindor and the MC for the event—Hollywood.*

7:00-8:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

Unmistakably Nordic in flavor, **Sofia Talvik** somehow still conforms to American interpretations of her own original music, a North Sea siren blending sparkle and melancholy. A veteran performer with 6 full length albums as well as numerous EPs, singles and tours behind her. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at the door.

September 6 *Tuesday*

12:00-1:00 pm

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Piano virtuoso **Richard Scott** performs an hour of traditional New Orleans jazz at the 3rd floor Performance Theatre.

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September 7 *Wednesday*

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September 9 **Friday**

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Music at the Mint: Thirteen Moons" is an original musical collaboration featuring New Orleans musician GrayHawk Perkins and Mezcal Jazz Unit, a French Jazz quartet. GrayHawk Perkins is a Native American of the Choctaw and Houma tribes. At the heart of this collaboration is a unique collection of chants in the Mobilian trade language. The compositions by GrayHawk, based on traditional songs refer to the thirteen moons of the Native American calendar. **(\$10.50).**

September 10 **Saturday**

11:00-6:30pm

Old U.S. Mint

The fourth annual **Downriver Festival** will be held Saturday September 10th, 2016, at the Old U.S. Mint and the French Market, featuring lectures, live music, and culinary demonstrations that celebrate all aspects of the Mississippi River's influences. This year's theme is OYSTERS AND THE FUTURE OF OUR COAST.

Musical Line-up

10:30 A.M. Kinfolk Brass Band leads a secondline from the Old U.S. Mint

11:45 A.M. – 12:45 A.M. PEPE COLOMA

1:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M. FREDY OMAR CON SU BANDA

2:15 P.M. – 3:15 P.M. NATIONAL PARK SERVICE CENTENNIAL BAND

3:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M. SUNPIE & THE LOUISIANA SUNSPOTS

5:00 P.M. – 6:30 P.M. HONEY ISLAND SWAMP BAND

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September 16 *Friday* **7:00-8:00 pm** **Old U.S. Mint**
Music at the Mint: From the bayou to the Mississippi River, the banks of Cergy to Paris, *Thibault* reflects the wanderings of a heart divided between France and Louisiana. Texts written in the language of Molière underlined by the southern sound, a bridge between the old continent and the new world, witnessing the commitment brought to the Francophony ... Always looking for new musical experiences, he discovered, while visiting friends, New Orleans and Louisiana, which now does leave most. (\$10.50).

September 17 *Saturday* **10:00-11:00 am** **Old U.S. Mint**
Bring comfortable clothing and your own yoga mat to our French Market location for **Jazz Yoga**. This free yoga class will feature instructor **Susan Landry** and meditational jazz piano by **Peter Nu**.

3:00 pm **Old U.S. Mint**
During **National Hispanic Heritage Month** (September 15 to October 15) we recognize the contributions made and the important presence of Hispanic and Latino Americans to the United States and celebrate their heritage and culture. The National Park Service is proud to present **Peter Collins**, a professor of Music–Piano and Coordinator of the Keyboard Area at Missouri State University. A native of New Orleans, he began his formal piano studies with Melvin Alford. Collins has performed a wide variety of repertoire ranging from the complete piano sonatas of Beethoven and Mozart to recently composed works.

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September 23 *Friday* **2:00-3:00 pm** **Old U.S. Mint**
Music at the Mint: Khari Allen Lee & the New Creative Collective will perform at The Mint on Friday, August 12th, 19th, and 26th at 2pm. Admission is \$5.25 and will be available at the door (\$5.25).

September 24 **10:00-11:00 am** **Old U.S. Mint**
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From our neighborhood parks or beaches to our nation’s awe-inspiring national parks, public lands of all sizes and varieties are the places where we live, learn, play, exercise, and relax. In fact, over 30% of America’s land is public land. Come join the New Orleans JAZZ National Park for our very own **National Public Lands Day Concert**.

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Music at the Mint: [Noisewater](#) is a New Orleans funk rock band comprised of musicians from a diverse background.

The members have played the specter of music from Metal to Big Band and Jazz to Progressive Rock. It is with this eclectic background they approach Funk with a harder, rocking edge that is sure to groove.

(\$10.50).

All National Park Service programs are free of charge unless otherwise indicated.

Find updated New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park schedules at:

Follow the New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/NolaJazzNHP.

View all NPS and Louisiana State Museum performances at the Mint live via Livestream at MusicAtTheMint.org.

View recent NPS and Louisiana State Museum performances at the Mint at www.livestream.com/directionofsky/folder.

Listen to New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park music on SoundCloud at <https://soundcloud.com/npsjazz>.